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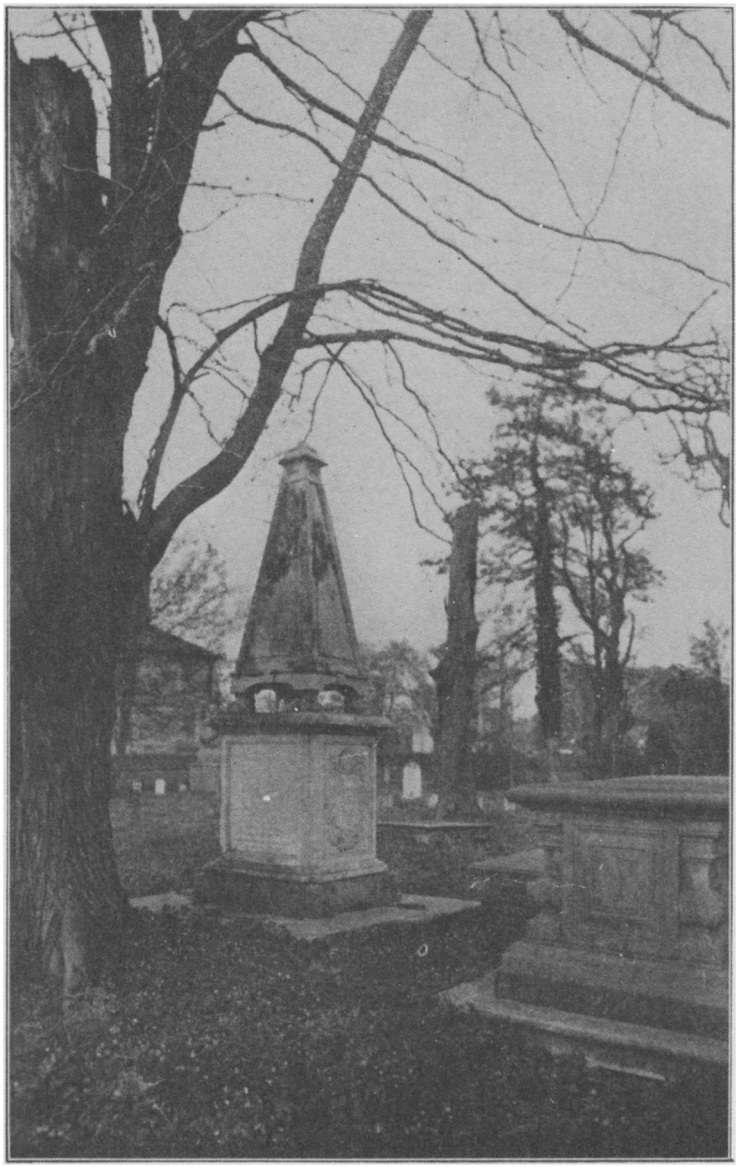

VIEW OF BRUTON CHURCHYARD,

Showing Obelisk of David Bray, Jr., and Box Monument of his father, David Bray, Sr. (See p. 51.)

number and generation to John Tabb, who you say "was probably another son of John Tabb and Martha Hand." If this John is the son of John Tabb and Martha Hand, then his number is 52 *John*[4] *Tabb* (see October, 1904, page 126, sixth line from top), and you have unintentionally given him in this number, his father's number and generation, 5 John[3] Tabb—being John Tabb who married Martha Hand.

If the John, son of 5 John[3] and Martha Hand, married Mary Ann, widow of Allaman, and their children were left wards to his brother *William* Tabb, then that brother William must have been my great-great-great-grandfather, 51 William[4] Tabb, who was born 1702 (see page 270), and it was this William who John and Thomas Edmundson sued in 1754 for an account of the estate of William Allaman.

BRAY FAMILY.

(*Continued from XIII.*, 269.)

To an account current of the estate of Arthur Allen, deceased, settled in Surry county, by Mrs. Elizabeth Allen, administratrix, in August, 1728, there is attached a memorandum as follows:

"Memo. There is a bond made to Mr. Arthur Allen and myself from my brother Thomas Bray of the penalty of one thousand pounds sterl. dated the 21st day of Jany, 1725, conditioned for payment of 500 £ at two payments to my late husband or myself, one payment was past in Mr. Allen's lifetime, and the money, vizt., 200 £ received by him; the other payment was not due in his lifetime, and I claim that, vizt., 300 £ as my money. Elizabeth Allen." And an additional account current of the estate of said Arthur Allen returned in 1737 is signed by Arthur Smith, Jr., Elizabeth Smith, and James Bray, administrators. And on March 16, 1736, James Bray qualified as guardian of James Allen, with John Ruffin and Arthur Smith, Jr., his securities. (Surry County Records.)

The above extracts from the records proves that Mrs. Elizabeth Allen (XIII., 267) was sister of Thomas Bray.